

CARBONDALE.

IMPROVING THE LIBRARY.

About one hundred volumes have been added to the public library within the past few days. They embrace the best of the recent works of fiction, together with history and works on science and art. The institution merits more than ever the pride Carbondallians take in it.

EXCURSION TO AND FROM.

About four hundred excursionists joined the Foresters of America yesterday and went to Shawnee lake, where a delightful time was had. A goodly number also went to Lake Ariel with the Junior Order United American Mechanics. Then about a thousand came over the Gravity this afternoon from New York and points along the Erie.

SIXTEEN TO FOUR.

Honesdale won the first of a series of five games for a \$50 prize at Alumni park yesterday afternoon. The score was sixteen to one—supposed to be a dead issue. Fee and McDonough were the Carbondale battery. Burke twirled for Honesdale.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

William Lindsay has secured a situation on the Delaware and Hudson freight platform. John Forbes, of the Scranton Republican, called on Carbondale friends yesterday. Miss Mary Gaughan has returned from Elk lake. Mrs. Edward Clarkson has returned from Benton. Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Hoyt, of this city, are entertaining Miss Mollie Ackerman, of Sidney, N. Y. R. B. Williams, superintendent of the Ontario and Western, left yesterday for California. Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Lathrop will spend Sunday at Crystal lake. C. Churchill, of Philadelphia, formerly a Carbondale merchant, has been visiting friends in this city and in Lenoxville. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Smith are sojourning at Atlantic City. A village production of the Jefferson Trimmings light was given at the Grand last night to a good-sized audience. It will be repeated tonight. Mrs. S. Singer, daughter Martha, Mrs. A. Rich and Miss Edith Frankel returned from Crystal lake yesterday. Miss Frankel will return to New York today. There will be a full dress rehearsal of the Georgia Minstrel company Monday night. M. J. Moran and Joseph H. Gilhool are among those who will go to Sylvan beach today for a week.

JERMYN AND MAYFIELD.

Walsh Brothers' circus, which came to town yesterday, proved a great attraction and at both the afternoon and evening performances had large attendances. The balloon ascension at 7 o'clock in the evening was most successful and the descent of Prof. M. Dade, who left the balloon at a height of about 1500 feet, was most cleverly done. The circus shows at Archbald today and is well worth a visit.

Alice, the 13-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Harris, of Carbondale, former well known residents of this borough, died at 9 o'clock Thursday evening. The funeral arrangements had not been completed last evening, but it is expected the child will be interred here and the funeral services will probably take place in St. James' Episcopal church tomorrow afternoon.

Rev. Frances Gendall, of Taylor, will preach in the M. E. church tomorrow morning. There is quite a little improvement in the condition of Willis Nichol, of Cemetery street, who has been ill for several weeks of typhoid fever. Rev. Thomas Cook will preach in the Primitive Methodist church tomorrow morning on "Creation," and in the evening, "Heaven, and Who Are There." Tom Smith has engaged as canvasser with Walsh Brothers' circus. Hogarth's band will render the following programme on the Episcopal lawn tonight: March, "Uncle Sam's Navy"; Phillips' waltz, "Obsession"; T. N. Short's selection, "Shamrock Leaves"; R. Welch; song and dance, "Sun Flower"; J. Hogarth; fantasia, "Sacred Gema"; D. Tasson; waltz, "Chester"; C. Allan; overture, "Evening Whirlwind"; J. Frost; medley march, "Hills"; F. Davison; march, "Euler's Ride"; J. Hogarth. The St. Agnes guild will serve ice cream and cake in the basement of the church and all are cordially invited to attend.

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pastor, Rev. C. L. Power will preach at 10:30 a. m. and in the evening at 7 o'clock Rev. H. C. Herman will occupy the pulpit.

Rev. J. M. Smoutler, of Rock Lake, was a visitor in town Thursday.

Miss Marie Hull has returned home after spending two weeks at Ashley Park.

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Misses Mamie Burns and Margaret Dixon, who have been the guests of friends here, returned to their homes in Avoca yesterday.

Miss Ella Mulady, of New York, is visiting her mother at this place.

TAYLOR NEWS.

Excursion of the Improved Order of Red Men a Grand Success—Funeral Arrangements—Church and Personal News.

The annual excursion of the Minocqua tribe, No. 217, Improved Order of Red Men which was conducted to Mountain Park yesterday, was no doubt the largest that ever left this town. Fully seven hundred people accompanied the outing. The train which conveyed them to that pleasant resort were crowded to the utmost capacity. The day was one of much pleasure as a more desirable one could not be expected for such occasion. The excursion returned about 3 o'clock with a happy but much tired lot. The Taylor Sisters' choir had accompanied them and furnished some excellent music for the day.

The funeral of the late Daniel Lewis is will occur tomorrow afternoon from his late home on Taylor street. Services will be held in the house by the Rev. Ivor Thomas. Burial will be made in the Forest Home cemetery.

Taylorville lodge, No. 668, Independent Order of Odd Fellows, will meet in their rooms this evening.

Misses Ella Howells, Gertrude Simmons, Mary and Drusilla Howells, Miss Simmons, Margaret Price and Master Chester Simmons of Rendham, have returned from their sojourn to Harvey's Lake.

The joint excursion of the Jr. O. U. A. M. to Lake Ariel was attended by a very large delegation from this town yesterday. The affair was a grand success and pleasantly enjoyed.

Emblem division, No. 57, Sons of Temperance, are requested to meet at their rooms tomorrow at 1 o'clock sharp to attend the funeral of their deceased brother, Daniel Lewis.

The Junior and Greenleaf societies will be paid for the month of July today.

Preaching at the Presbyterian church tomorrow will be held as usual. Rev. L. R. Foster will officiate.

Mrs. Jennie and Mrs. Matthews and Miss Grace Nethercott, of New York, visited friends on Thursday.

Sabbath services at the Methodist Episcopal church will be held at the usual hours. In the absence of the

FACTORYVILLE.

The grangers' picnic has come, been celebrated and passed into history for the eighteenth time, and is recorded as one of the most successful ones ever held. The day was perfect. No accidents marred the happiness of those who enjoyed being present, and the crowd! Well, we haven't space enough to mention it, but those who were not there that lived within a radius of twenty-five miles wouldn't form a corporal's guard. The West Nicholson Cornet band furnished the music for the annual event, but the dense foliage of the trees prevented them from getting the air to their music, consequently it sounded better on the opposite side of the lake. J. H. Harris, L.L.D., president of Bucknell university, was the principal speaker of the day, although other prominent speakers were introduced, and quite a lengthy program was carried out.

Dr. and Mrs. D. A. Capwell are spending a few weeks at Keystone cottage.

The Wallsville fair will be held this year at Maitland Driving park, September 5, 7 and 8. The management expects to hold one of the most successful fairs that has ever been held there. The premiums are large, and the entries for the races indicate some good events.

A number of our townpeople leave today and others will go tomorrow, to attend the Dimock camp meeting.

The Gardner family reunion will be held in Gardner's grove, Friday, August 25.

The hand boys are progressing very nicely under the leadership of Mr. DeWitt. The week beginning September 18 they will hold a band fair, to be concluded with a grand street parade, in which five visiting bands will participate.

Mrs. E. C. Browning, of Scranton, has been spending the past week with relatives in this place.

Undertaker Stanton was called to Starbuck yesterday to attend the funeral of the late Ira Squires.

The Reynolds family's annual reunion will be held in the academy grove on Saturday, September 2.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Frances Miller took place yesterday from the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Henry Northup, at Glenburn. Interment was in the Evergreen cemetery at this place.

Paulowna Rebekah lodge, No. 58, Independent Order of Odd Fellows, will hold a basket picnic at Lake Winola today. All Rebekahs and their friends are welcome and cordially invited to attend.

The Democratic county convention will be held at the court house in Tunkhannock next Monday, August 21.

Mr. Walter Travis was united in marriage to Miss Milton, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Decker, last Wednesday, August 16, at 12 o'clock. The Rev. W. M. Hiller performed the wedding ceremony. Mr. and Mrs. Travis left on the 2:30 p. m. train for a short wedding tour, after which they will reside at this place.

Mr. J. H. Watkins had the misfortune to lose his pocketbook, containing \$17, Saturday, August 5. The finder will be liberally rewarded if he returns the same to Mr. Watkins.

About one month ago my child, which is fifteen months old, had an attack of diarrhoea accompanied by vomiting. I gave it such remedies as are usually given in such cases, but as nothing gave relief, we sent for a physician and it was under his care for a week. At this time the child had been sick for about ten days and was having about twenty-five operations of the bowels every twelve hours and we were convinced that unless it soon obtained relief it would not live. Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy was recommended, and I decided to try it. I soon noticed a change in the nature of the stools, and a complete cure was brought about and it is now perfectly healthy.—C. L. Boggs, Stumptown, Gilmer Co., W. Va. For sale by all druggists. Matthew Bros., wholesale and retail agents.

Mrs. William Sieberling is visiting at Carbondale.

Mr. and Mrs. Tibban, of Jersey city, parents of George Tibban, who was so seriously hurt last week, arrived on Thursday and are now visiting at the home of Mr. J. H. Crozier. While he lies in a very critical condition yet, every day improves his chances for recovering unless some complication arises.

The Methodist Ladies' Aid society met at Mrs. Warner's on Wednesday. Newton Williams took a load from here to Williamsport, on Monday. The party consisted of Mrs. Charles Snyder and son Willie, Mrs. Horace French, Mrs. J. M. Williams, Mrs. W. C. Drake and daughter Lavina, Mrs. George Iregallas, Mr. E. Broadhead, Carrie Broadhead and Rev. and Mrs. Bailey.

Westley Schoonover and Leonard Mott drove to the camp ground Thursday evening to hear Rev. P. J. Cain. Services in the Methodist Episcopal church on Sunday as follows: Preaching at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.; at the pastor's class meeting at 11:30 a. m.; Sunday school at 2:30 p. m.; Epworth League at 6:15.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Barton and Mrs. R. H. Parker spent a few days at Harvey's lake the past week. While there Mr. Barton was badly bitten by a horse on one of his limbs. He is somewhat improved at the present time.

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Smith died on Thursday morning, aged three weeks and one day. Interment at the family plot in Green Grove.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Wolf and daughter are visiting in West Abington.

David Smith and family, William Justin and family and F. H. Smith and two sons attended the Riker family reunion at Peter Riker's, above Nicholson.

Several of the people of Thompson are tenting on the camp ground during the meetings. There are one hundred and eleven tents pitched on the grounds.

E. N. Crandall, representing Munn's music store, Binghamton, is doing the town and surroundings for musical instruments. He is a jolly old soldier, and he is enjoying with his wife his sojourn at the Jefferson house.

C. M. Shelp, esq., of New Milford, was shaking hands with Democrats in town Friday and saying to them, "I want to be registered and recorded."

The Lewis Brothers are making needed improvements to their barns and premises.

Rev. Leonard Cole will preach in the Methodist Episcopal church next Sabbath morning in the absence of Rev. A. D. David, who is at the Salem camp meeting.

Mrs. Nellie Potter entertained on Thursday her friend of former days,

MR. SMITH SURPRISED.

His Fifty-sixth Birthday Celebrated by Many Friends.

Special to the Scranton Tribune. Factoryville, Pa., Aug. 18.—Saturday, Aug. 18, the many friends and relatives of Mr. Edward Smith, of Glenwood, Pa., hid themselves from as many homes to the commodious farm house of Mr. Smith, which nestles among the hills of Susquehanna county, bent upon the purpose of celebrating the fifty-sixth year of the birth of Mr. Smith. The day was very pleasantly spent out on the farm, each one choosing their own recreation and amusement. The little folks especially enjoyed the fields and invigorating air for their many frolics and frolics. Of course the menu was a elaborate one and comprised all the delicacies of the season. Games, music, etc., were the principal features of the day's entertainment. Mr. James B. Smith, of Factoryville, was toast master of the occasion and he was responded to by Mr. O. W. Mason, of Dalton; Mr. M. D. Moot, of Miners Mills, and Dr. C. A. Briggs, of Factoryville. The subjects were varied and mostly of the humorous class. As the time approached for the departure of the many guests for their respective homes, Mr. Smith fully realized that he had just completed another mile stone toward the three score and ten which are allotted to man. The guests that were present and enjoyed the occasion were: Mr. and Mrs. William Coon, Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Moot, Mr. Edgar Moot, Miss Isabelle Moot, of Miners Mills; Miss Vina Clifford, Mr. Payne Barstley, Mr. Arthur Clifford, Scranton; Mr. James Colvin, Wilkes-Barre; Mr. and Mrs. Pearson Hallstead, M. and Mrs. William Smith, Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Gibbs, Miss Frances Smith, Benton; Mrs. John Hallstead, Carbondale; Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Stephens, Miss Jessie Stephens, Miss Marguerite Stephens, Starbuck; Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Mason, Dalton; Mr. and Mrs. James B. Smith, Mr. Harry Smith, Miss Emma Smith, Dr. and Mrs. C. A. Briggs, of Factoryville; Mr. and Mrs. B. McDonald, Miss Mildred McDonald, Miss B. McDonald, Mr. Robert McDonald, Mr. Payne McDonald, Mr. Byron McDonald, Glenwood; Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Green, Lenox, Pa.

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Mrs. M. M. King, Waterloo, N. C.



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